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FM AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6962

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EFIN, SN
SUBJECT: TAX TREATY NEGOTIATIONS

REF: STATE 311418

1. UPON RECEIPT REFTEL, EMBASSY INFORMED GOS OF
U.S. PROPOSAL FOR RESUMPTION OF INCOME TAX TREATY
NEGOTIATIONS. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED FOLLOWING REPLY
FROM MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS:

QUOTE: 2. THE MINISTRY IS PLEASED TO INFORM THE EMBASSY
THAT THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT IS AGREEABLE TO THE
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S PROPOSAL THAT NEGOTIATIONS
ON THE AVOIDANCE OF DOUBLE TAXATION BETWEEN SINGAPORE
AND THE UNITED STATES BE HELD IN WASHINGTON IN APRIL
1977. THE SINGAPORE GOVERNMENT PROPOSES THAT THE
MEETINGS BE HELD FROM 18 TO 22 APRIL 1977, AND WOULD
BE GRATEFUL TO KNOW IF THE PROPOSED DATES ARE CONVENIENT
TO THE US AUTHORITIES. UNQUOTE

3. PER PARA 3, REFTEL, WE ASKED WAN FOOK HOY,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF INLAND REVENUE, IF HE WISHES
TO PROCEED ON BASIS EARLIER DRAFT TREATY, OR WISHES
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U.S. TO SUBMIT UPDATED VERSION. WAN SAID THAT EITHER
WOULD BE ACCEPTABLE TO GOS; IN EITHER CASE, THERE
WOULD STILL BE POINTS TO NEGOTIATE. WAN CONFIRMED
THAT THE GOS IS INDEED FAMILIAR WITH OECD MODEL
DRAFT LANGUAGE.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE CONFIRM IF GOS-

PROPOSED DATES ACCEPTABLE. IF DECISION IS TO
PROCEED ON BASIS OF UPDATED DRAFT, WE ASSUME THAT
NEW DRAFT WILL BE TRANSMITTED TO GOS
THROUGH EMBASSY. IN ANY CASE, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE
RECEIVING ITS OWN COPY OF THE DRAFT DECIDED UPON
(EMBASSY DOES NOT HAVE COPY OF DRAFT TRANSMITTED
IN SEPTEMBER 1975).
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